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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 03495.0301

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Ali AMARA et al.) Group Art Unit: 1648
Application No.: 10/700,507) Examiner: Stacy Brown Chen
Filed: November 5, 2003)
For: COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING) Confirmation No.: 6288
DC-SIGN BLOCKERS AND)
METHODS OF USING DC-SIGN)
BLOCKERS FOR PREVENTING)
OR TREATING DISEASES OF A)
MAMMAL, INCLUDING VIRAL)
INFECTIONS)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment, mailed July 7, 2005, please replace the Amendment and Reply to Office Action filed on April 28, 2005, in response to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2004, with this Amendment and Reply to Office Action and amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification appear at page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims at pages 3-16.

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 17.